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**VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice mailed August 6, 2003 in the above-identified patent application, submitted herewith is a substitute VOLUNTARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT in reply to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2003.

Amendments to the Disclosure begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.